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Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231
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Dear Sirs:

Re: PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
United States Patent Application No. 09/646,110
Entitled: Aliphatic Amino Carboxylic and Amino Phosphonic
Acids, Amino Nitriles and Amino Tetrazoles as
Cellular Rescue Agents
Filing Date: March 25, 1999
Inventors: Lilian E. Dyck, Bruce A. Davis, Ya-Dong Liu, David A. Durden,
Alan A. Boulton and I. Alick Paterson
Grp Art Unit: Unknown as of Yet

Attached hereto is a Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed November 13, 2000, the period for response to which was set to expire December 13, 2000.

Please accept this Response as timely as provided in 37 CFR 1.136(a). Attached is our cheque no. 3520 in the amount of \$110.00, in respect of the extension fee for response within three months after the time period set as provided in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1).

If additional fees are required, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 02-2095. This letter is being filed in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Lilian E. Dyck et al.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M Gravelle", written over a horizontal line.

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